

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 28 public bills, H.R. 4645–4672; 1 private bill, H.R. 4673; and 8 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 238; and H. Res. 1095–1097, 1099, 1100–1102 were introduced.

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Additional Cosponsors:

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows:

H.R. 4247, to prevent and reduce the use of physical restraint and seclusion in schools, with an amendment (H. Rept. 111–417) and

H. Res. 1098, providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4626) to restore the application of the Federal antitrust laws to the business of health insurance to protect competition and consumers (H. Rept. 111–418).

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Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative Tonko to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Recess: The House recessed at 10:51 a.m. and reconvened at 12 noon.

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Chaplain: The prayer was offered by the Guest Chaplain, Reverend Dr. Alan Keiran, Office of the United States Senate Chaplain.

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Committee Resignation: Read a letter from Representative Walden, wherein he resigned from the Committee on Energy and Commerce, effective today.

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Committee Election: The House agreed to H. Res. 1095, electing a Minority member to a standing committee of the House of Representatives: Committee on Energy and Commerce: Representative Griffith.

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Suspensions: The House agreed to suspend the rules and agree to the following measures:

Recognizing the bravery and efforts of the United States Armed Forces, local first responders, and other members of Operation Unified Response: H. Res. 1066, to recognize the bravery and efforts of the United States Armed Forces, local first responders, and other members of Operation Unified Response for their swift and coordinated action in light of the devastation wrought upon the nation of Haiti after a horrific 7.0 magnitude earthquake struck Port-Au-Prince and surrounding cities on January 12, 2010, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ yea-and-nay vote of 406 yeas with none voting “nay”, Roll No. 52;

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Honoring the heroism of the seven United States Agency for International Development and Office of U.S. Foreign Disaster Assistance supported urban search and rescue teams deployed to Haiti: H. Res. 1059, amended, to honor the heroism of the seven United States Agency for International Development and Office of U.S. Foreign Disaster Assistance supported urban search and rescue teams deployed to Haiti from New York City, New York, Fairfax County, Virginia, Los Angeles County, California, Miami, Florida, Miami-Dade County, Florida, and Virginia Beach, Virginia, and commending their dedication and assistance in the aftermath of the January 12, 2010 Haitian earthquake, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ yea-and-nay vote of 406 yeas with none voting “nay”, Roll No. 53;

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Agreed to amend the title so as to read: “Honoring the heroism of the seven United States Agency for International Development, Office of U.S. Foreign Disaster Assistance, and Federal Emergency Management Agency supported urban search and rescue teams deployed to Haiti from New York City, New York, Fairfax County, Virginia, Los Angeles County, California, the City of Miami, Florida, Miami-Dade County, Florida, and Virginia Beach, Virginia, and commending their dedication and assistance in the aftermath of the January 12, 2010, Haitian earthquake.”

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Commending the efforts and honoring the work of the men and women of USNS Comfort and the United States Navy: H. Res. 1048, amended, to commend the efforts and honor the work of the men and women of USNS *Comfort* and the United States Navy in the immediate response to those affected by the earthquake that struck Haiti on January 12, 2010;

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Billy's Law: H.R. 3695, amended, to authorize funding for, and increase accessibility to, the National Missing and Unidentified Persons System, to facilitate data sharing between such system and the National Crime Information Center database of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and to provide incentive grants to help facilitate reporting to such systems; and

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Expressing support for designation of March as National Nutrition Month: H. Res. 274, to express support for designation of March as National Nutrition Month.

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Suspensions—Proceedings Resumed: The House agreed to suspend the rules and agree to the following measures which were debated on Monday, February 22nd: